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MAINTAIN PROFICIENCY IN THE DELIVERY OF ALL TYPES OF

WEAPONS. THE TRAINING AIDS IN QUESTION ARE IN NO WAY IN VIOLATION OF EXISTING AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE US AND THE GOJ. QUESTION WOULD NOT THE TRAINING WITH DUMMY NUCLEAR WEAPONS INDICATE THAT THE 18TH TFW IS EQUIPPED WITH LIVE NUCLEAR WEAPONS? ANSWER: THE USE OF THESE TRAINING AIDS DOES NOT MEAN THAT A UNIT IS EQUIPPED WITH NUCLEAR WEAPONS. KISSINGER

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